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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Bernd RUDOLPH
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Appl. No.: **NEW NON-PROVISIONAL**
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Title: CIRCUIT ARRANGEMENT AND METHOD FOR
STARTING AND OPERATING GAS DISCHARGE
LAMPS WITH HEATABLE ELECTRODE FILAMENTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents January 23, 2004
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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.